Veterinary Services Externship Program

Are you a student looking for work experience in public veterinary practice? We offer externships at the U.S. Department of Agriculture’s (USDA) Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS).

An Exciting Opportunity
Working alongside APHIS veterinarians and other animal health experts, our externs learn hands on what it takes to protect American agriculture. Externships usually last 2–6 weeks and can be completed throughout the year. We accept applications year-round.

Eligibility
The application process is noncompetitive, and opportunities are open to undergraduate and graduate students in any field of study. Externships are unpaid positions, and there is no reimbursement of expenses. Students are responsible for arranging and paying for their own travel, transportation, housing, and food during their externship.

To Apply
Email us at vs.recruitment.pathways@usda.gov with a statement describing your interest, background, and availability; résumé; duty location preference; and unofficial transcript.

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